

ACHDHE Presentation Resources for New Members

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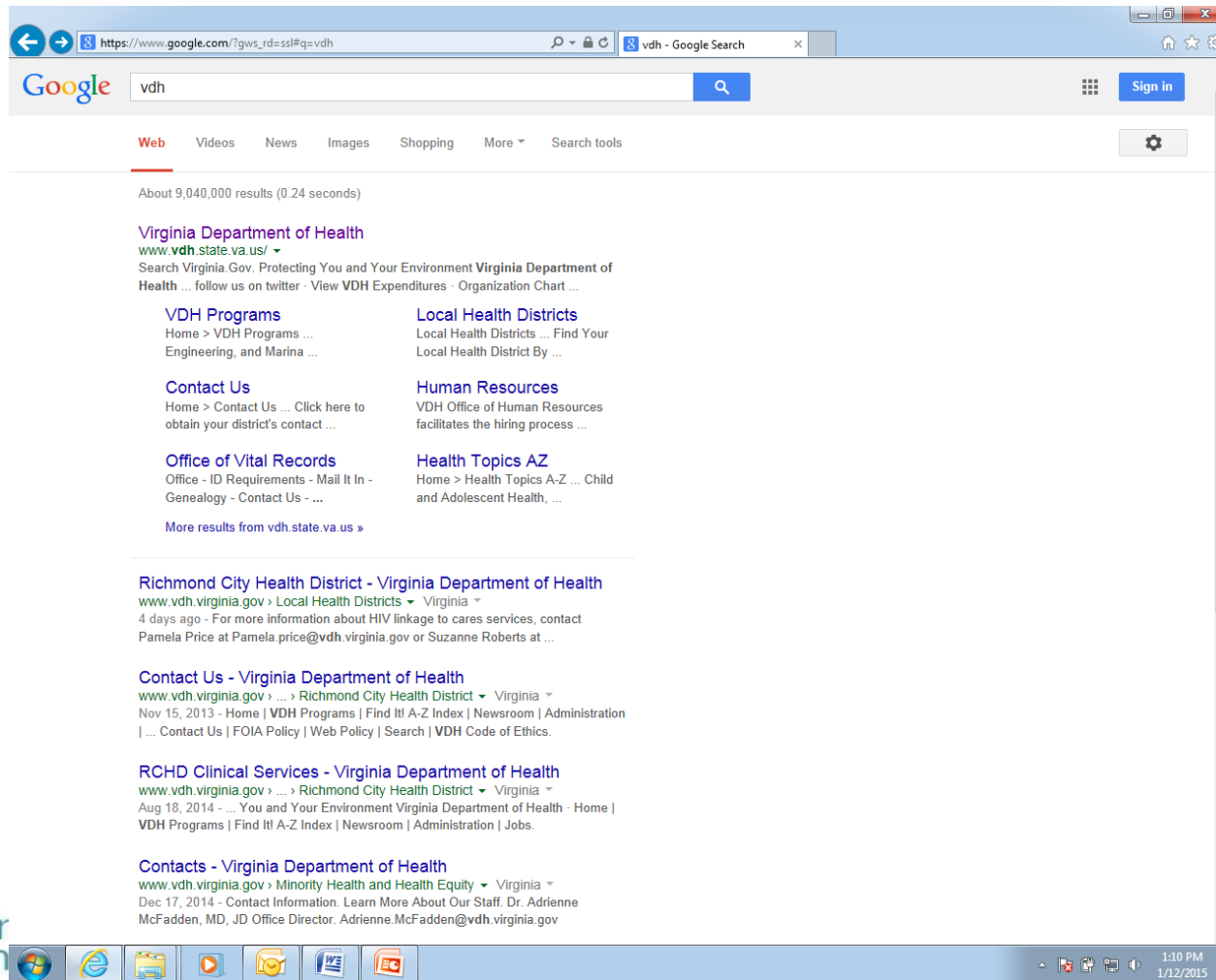
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Objectives

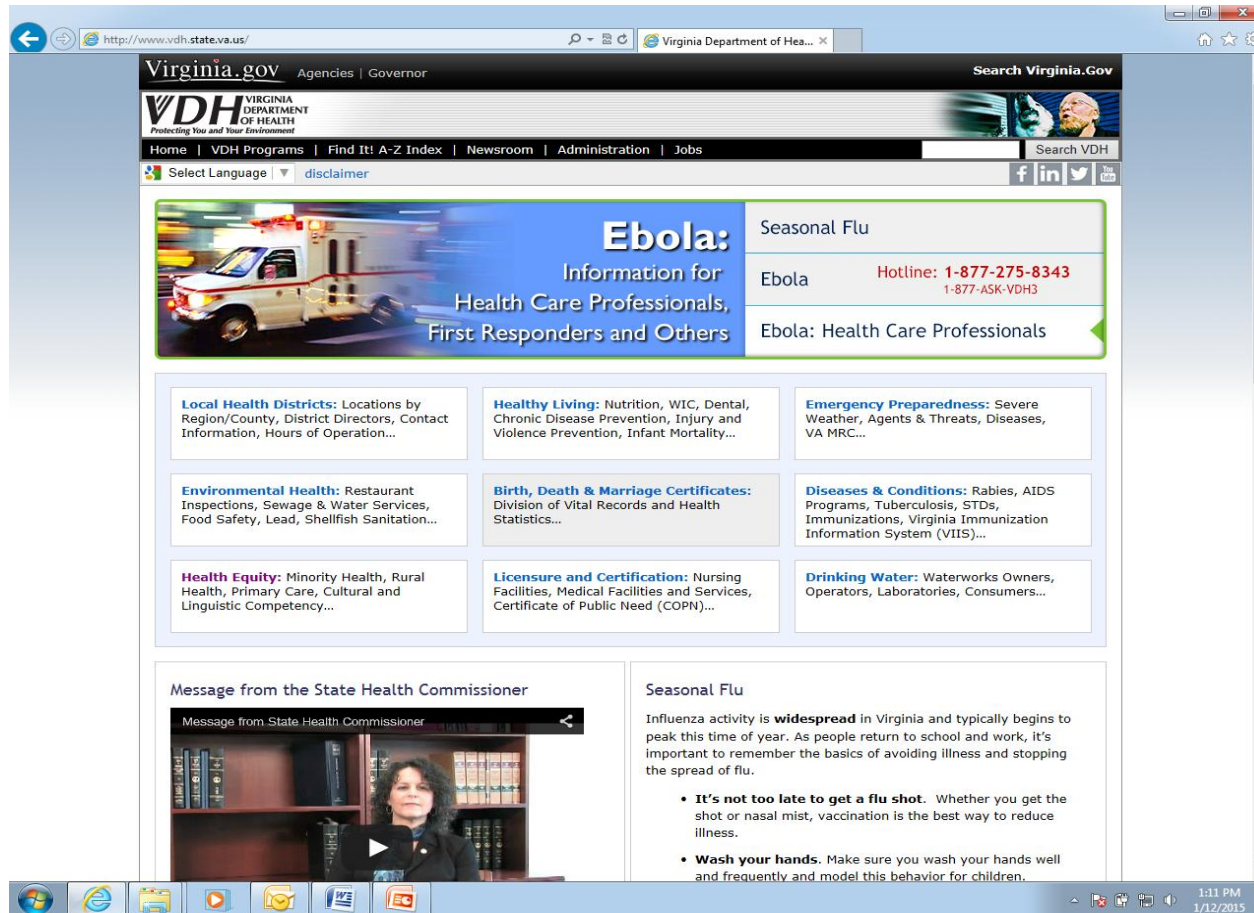
- Orient new ACHDHE members about OMHHE/ACHDHE resources

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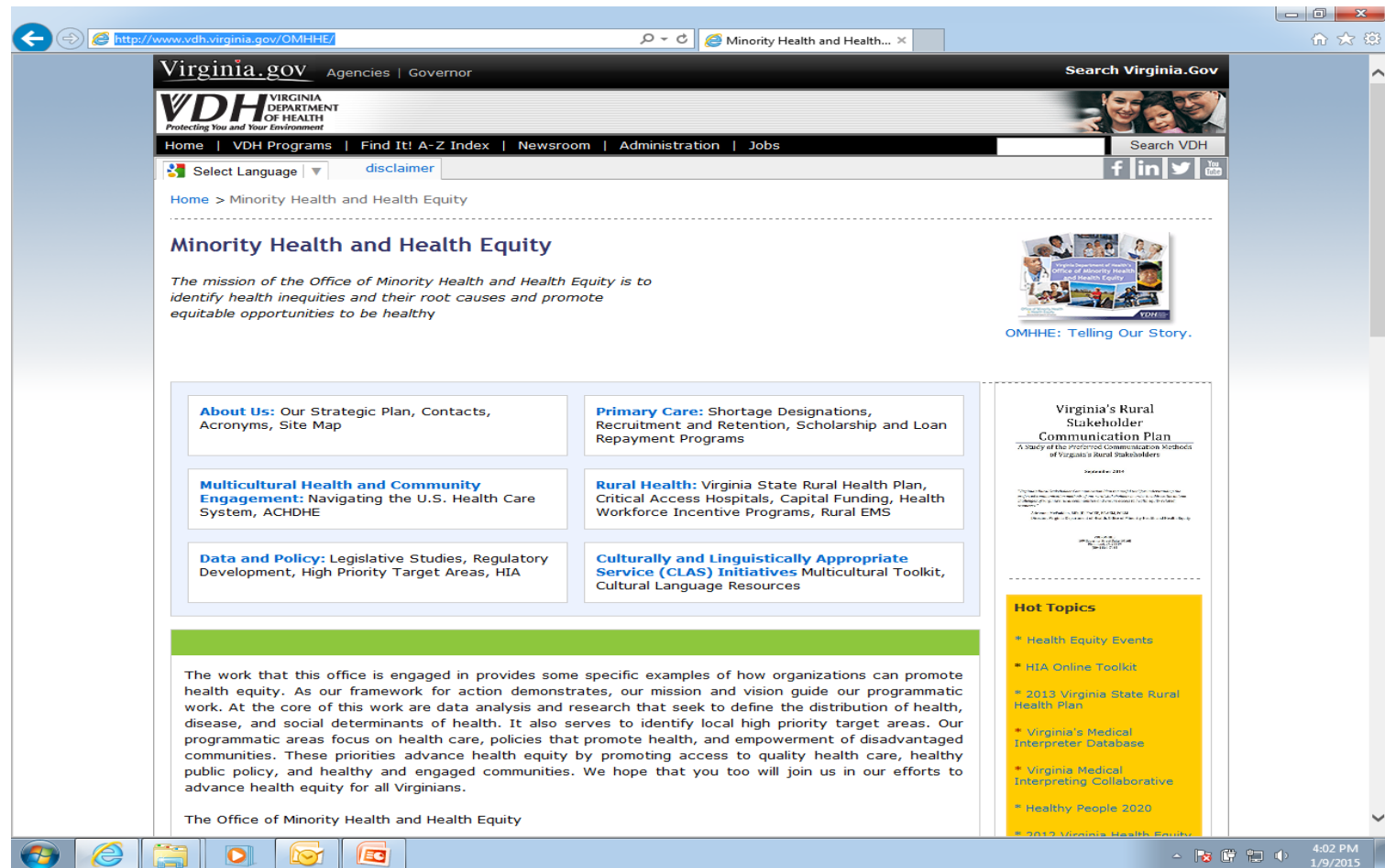
VDH Website:

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Check Out OMHHE Website:

<http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/OMHHE/rtis>®



OMHHE Website Cont':

<http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/OMHHE/rts>®

The screenshot displays the OMHHE website interface. The main content area is titled "Ebola - Facts and Mental Health Information" and contains two infographics. The first infographic, "EBOLA FACTS", addresses the risk of transmission and provides guidance on staying safe. The second infographic, "EBOLA & MENTAL HEALTH", discusses the psychological impact of the virus and offers advice on seeking professional help. To the right of the main content is a sidebar with a yellow background titled "Ongoing Programs U.S. Health Care System" and a list of resources including Language Needs Assessment Report, Health Equity Resources, Incentive Programs, Loan Repayment Programs, Nursing Scholarships, and Shortage Designations. Below the infographics is a section titled "Congregations for Million Hearts®" which describes the program's goal and provides information on how to become a partner. The website footer includes the Virginia Department of Health logo and contact information.

Ebola - Facts and Mental Health Information

EBOLA FACTS
What Do Virginians Need to Know?

The risk of Ebola transmission is low.

People who are sick with Ebola virus disease can spread the virus to others who have not yet become sick.

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EBOLA & MENTAL HEALTH
What Can You Do To Help Those Affected By Ebola?

If you know someone from Guinea, Liberia, or Sierra Leone, he or she may have just loved ones to Ebola. He or she may be suffering, so reach out to individuals who show signs of:

• Absent from work or school a lot
• Having trouble concentrating or thinking clearly
• Using drugs, cigarettes or alcohol in excess
• Quick to become angry
• Still very sad/depressed after six months have passed.

Silence the virus, support the individual.

Congregations for Million Hearts®

Virginia's Office of Minority Health and Health Equity supports 100 Congregations for Million Hearts®, a faith-based program designed to help guide church members toward a heart-healthy lifestyle. Through this initiative, we aim to combat two of the leading causes of death in the United States: heart disease and stroke.

The goal of 100 Congregations for Million Hearts® is to enlist the support of faith-based organizations to help raise awareness and prevent cardiovascular disease and focus on hypertension control.

Become a Partner

Does your congregation or faith-based organization have a desire to live a heart-healthy life? If so, join 100 Congregations for Million Hearts®!

To get started or to ask a question about 100 Congregations for Million Hearts®, send an e-mail to Augustine.doe@vdh.virginia.gov.

- Virginia's 100 Congregations for Million Hearts website
- Virginia 100 Coongregations for Million Hearts Initiative sign-up form.
- Virginia's 100 Congregations for Million Hearts Initiative Fact Sheet.

ACHDHE Web Resources

<http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/OMHHE/healthequity/MHAC.htm>

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Virginia Department of Health (VDH) website. The address bar shows the URL: <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/OMHHE/healthequity/MHAC.htm>. The page title is "The Commissioner's Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity". The page content includes a sidebar with links to OMHHE Home, About OMHHE, OMHHE A-Z Index, Division of Multicultural Health & Community Engagement, Healthy People 2020, Navigating the U.S. Health Care System, Commissioner's Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity, Health Impact Assessment, CLAS Initiatives, Medical Interpreters Database, Health Equity Resources, Health Equity Statistics, Health Equity Initiatives, Health Equity Events, Grants and Funding Opportunities, and Division of Primary Care and Rural Health. The main content area features a section titled "U.S. History on Improving Health Status of Minorities" with a paragraph about the 1985 task force and a list of six causes of death and mortality for African-Americans and other minority groups: 1. Cancer, 2. Asthma, 3. Heart disease and stroke, 4. Chemical dependency, 5. Diabetes, and 6. Intentional and unintentional injuries and infant mortality. Below this is a section titled "The task force also discerned that minorities experience significantly poorer health outcomes when compared to their white counterparts..." followed by a paragraph about the federal Office of Minority Health. The page also includes a "Quick Links" section with links to Committee Members, Former Committee Members, and Committee Meetings. The footer of the page shows the time as 4:06 PM on 1/9/2015.

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The Commissioner's Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity

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U.S. History on Improving Health Status of Minorities

In 1985, the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services empanelled a Task Force on Minority Health to review the available data and assess the health status of minority Americans. The task force identified six causes of death as collectively accounting for more than 80 percent of the excess death and mortality for African-Americans and other minority groups:

1. Cancer
2. Asthma
3. Heart disease and stroke
4. Chemical dependency
5. Diabetes
6. Intentional and unintentional injuries and infant mortality

The task force also discerned that minorities experience significantly poorer health outcomes when compared to their white counterparts. While the health status for Americans overall is improving, the health status for minorities is declining. Because of these disparities, the U.S. Secretary created the federal Office of Minority Health to continually monitor minority health issues and to recommend ways to improve the health status and outcomes for minorities.

Virginia's The Commissioner's Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity Background

In 1990, Virginia's State Health Commissioner created the Minority Health Advisory Committee (MHAC) to ensure that the health priorities and health concerns of Virginia's minority populations were adequately addressed by the Virginia Department of Health. The MHAC included appointed representatives from local, state and federal public health agencies, University of Virginia's Center for Public Service, Virginia Commonwealth University's Department of Pharmaceuticals, Norfolk State University's Department of Political Science and Economics, Baptist General Convention of Virginia, Vietnamese Resettlement Association, Powhatan Society, Hispanic

Quick Links

- Committee Members
- Former Committee Members
- Committee Meetings

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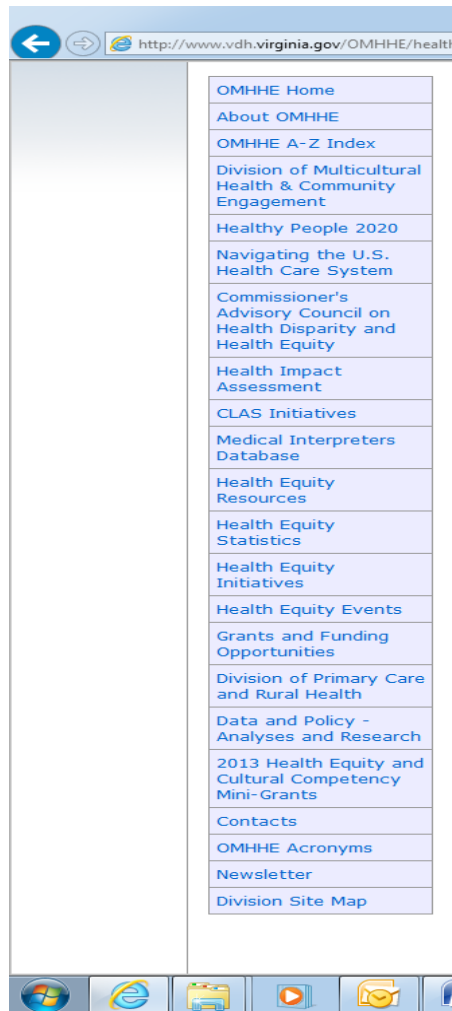
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- Breadcrumbs:** Home > Minority Health and Health Equity > Division of Multicultural Health and Community Engagement > Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity
- Section:** Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity
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 - Division of Primary Care and Rural Health
- Main Content:**
 - Next ACHDHE Meeting:** Tuesday, January 13, 2015, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., Virginia Department of Health Central Office, 109 Governor Street, Richmond, VA 23219
 - Past Meetings:**

Date	Agenda	Minutes	Presentations/Handouts
January 13, 2015	Agenda		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Presentation to Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity
October 14, 2014	Agenda	Draft Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Community Health Workers Networks100 Congregations for Million Hearts
July 8, 2014	Agenda	Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Health Equity in Public Health, ACHDHE PresentationLENO Increasing Community Access to Fresh Fruits and vegetablesACHDHE VDH Feeding Programs PresentationACHDHE Procedural Guidelines
April 8, 2014	Agenda	Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Virginia's Physician Workforce and
- Right Sidebar:**
 - Quick Links:**
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